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Ms. Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street SW  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: IB Docket No. 11-109; Technical Working Group Report

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Demands for wireless services are growing so rapidly. Las Vegas and all of America needs innovative energetic players in the wireless sector to make sure consumers are well-served today and in the future. For this reason I urge the Federal Communications Commission to continue working for a solution to the LightSquared/GPS interference issues. The goal of expanded broadband spectrum is too important to squander this opportunity.

LightSquared has a wholesale only business model that will expand the availability of broadband spectrum, benefitting both consumers and small wireless service providers. It will complement existing capacity and allow more players to enter the market without the enormous capital needed to build a network starting over from the beginning.

LightSquared's 4G-LTE network, integrated with satellite service, will provide Las Vegas and over 92% of the country with seamless access to cutting edge wireless technology. This is especially important to first responders in case of a natural disaster or terrorist attack. Rural American will also greatly benefit from this network. This revolutionary service will help bridge the digital divide by providing access to the internet for millions of Americans that currently don't have the ability to wirelessly connect.

I hope you will consider these important points when determining a solution that both the GPS industry and LightSquared can live with. It is essential that the FCC permits LightSquared to deploy their 4G-LTE network in its L-Band spectrum so that America can keep moving forward and retain its position in the global economy.

Sincerely,

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